



2005 ENERGY STAR® Awards Ceremony

Hosted by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Energy

5:00 p.m.

Reception

Co-hosted by Lowe's Companies, Inc., and Whirlpool Corporation

6:30 p.m.

Banquet

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Dinner

Wine Selection Courtesy of Sears, Roebuck and Co. and Whirlpool Corporation

Awards Presentation

Kathleen Hogan, *Director*

Climate Protection Partnerships Division

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

David K. Garman, *Assistant Secretary*

Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

U.S. Department of Energy

Sustained Excellence

Corporate Commitment

Excellence in Energy Management

Excellence in Efficient Products

Excellence in Efficient Homes

Excellence in Energy Efficiency and Environmental Education

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Kathleen Hogan

Director

Climate Protection Partnerships Division

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Kathleen Hogan is the Director of the Climate Protection Partnerships Division of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. There she manages many of the Agency's industry partnership programs designed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions while saving businesses and consumers money, including the ENERGY STAR Program.

Recognizing the environmental benefits to be gained from government-industry partnerships, Kathleen has helped the ENERGY STAR program grow from a partnership with product manufacturers to one with major retailers, utilities, and states. She has helped make the ENERGY STAR available for products in more than 40 product categories and bring national recognition of the ENERGY STAR to more than 60 percent of the public, as well as help bring the benefits of energy efficiency to schools, hospitals, and commercial buildings.

Prior to this, she managed partnership programs designed to reduce emissions of the more potent greenhouse gases. She developed and managed programs with the U.S. natural gas industry and the U.S. primary aluminum industry as well as a joint effort with the Russian natural gas industry.

Hogan has been with the EPA for 15 years. Prior to EPA, she worked in consulting and for a water resources planning commission for the Potomac River. She received her doctorate in systems analysis and environmental engineering from the Johns Hopkins University and a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Bucknell University.

**David K. Garman***Assistant Secretary**Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy*

U.S. Department of Energy

David Garman was nominated by President George W. Bush to serve as Assistant Secretary on April 30, 2001 and was confirmed unanimously by the United States Senate on May 25, 2001.

During his tenure as leader of the Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE), Assistant Secretary Garman has reorganized the Department, replacing an outdated and fragmented organization with what is arguably the most innovative business model ever employed in the federal government. The new organization has been recognized as a success by the White House and the National Association of Public Administration.

Assistant Secretary Garman was instrumental in the development of the FreedomCAR cooperative automotive research partnership and the President's Hydrogen Fuel Initiative. In recognition of his role, he was awarded the National Hydrogen Association's 2002 Meritorious Service Award, and the Electric Drive Vehicle Association's 2003 "E-Visionary" Award.

Prior to joining the Department of Energy, Mr. Garman served in a variety of positions on the staff of two U.S. Senators and two Senate Committees during a career spanning nearly 21 years, including service on the Professional Staff of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence and the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Immediately prior to his current position, Mr. Garman was Chief of Staff to Frank Murkowski, then Chairman of the Energy and Natural Resources Committee, now Governor of Alaska. In addition to his normal Senate duties, Mr. Garman represented the Senate leadership at virtually all of the major negotiations under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change from 1995–2000.

Assistant Secretary Garman has testified before Congress as an Administration witness on more than twenty-five occasions; and been featured as a key Administration spokesman on future energy technologies in print, television and radio. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Public Policy from Duke University, and a Master of Science in Environmental Sciences from the Johns Hopkins University.